## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANIPULATING A PLURALITY OF GRAPHICAL POINTERS

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5 An improved method and system for manipulation a plurality of 6 graphical pointers utilizing a single graphical pointing device are disclosed. 7 A plurality of graphical pointers are displayed within a display device. A user 8 may then temporarily select one graphical pointer among the plurality of 9 graphical pointers. During the selection, the selected graphical pointer is 10 manipulated in response to operation of a single graphical pointing device. A point within the display device specified by the position of the selected 12 graphical pointer is selected in response to closure of a switch associated with the selected graphical pointer.

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